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<sup>1</sup> PLACE OF DEATH  
County Calvert

Village or City Parron (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME Patie Jane Bowen

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 51

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX F. 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) —

6 DATE OF BIRTH May 13, 1857  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 74 yrs. — mos. 23 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day. hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Calvert

10 NAME OF FATHER Cyphus Henry Bowen

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Sara Jane Simmons

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Dr. R. C. Bowen

(Address) Huntingtown

15 Filed June 5 1931 J. N. Freig Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH June 4, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from June 4 1931 to June 4 1931, that I last saw him alive on June 4 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8:30 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Acute Indigestion

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

Dilatation of Heart

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) J. N. Freig M. D.  
6/5 1931 (Address) Prince Frederick

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Emanuel Church DATE OF BURIAL June 7, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER H. H. Hulehine ADDRESS Dwight

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningis, peritoneum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *shoptneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia;" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Hæmion," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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V. S. No. 1

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 50

1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Calvert

Village or City Mtair (No. 92-a)

2 FULL NAME Margaret Brady

3 SEX Female

4 COLOR OR RACE Col.

5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widow

6 DATE OF BIRTH unknown 1880(?)  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 51(?)  
yrs. mos. ds. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Domestic  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER Henry Mason

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mildred Murry

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) Wm Mason  
(Address) Island Creek

15 Filed June 28 1931 A. Clay Brien Registrar

16 DATE OF DEATH June 27, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from June 15 1931 to June 27 1931, that I last saw her alive on June 27 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 3 P.M.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Goutic regurg.  
(Duration) yrs. 6 mos. ds.  
Contributory Secondary Decomposition  
(Duration) yrs. 2 mos. ds.  
(Signed) V. B. Bensen M. D.  
6/28/31 (Address) Prince Frederick

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)  
At place of death yrs. 13 mos. ds. In the State yrs. Life mos. ds.  
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Baltimore, Md.  
Former or usual residence 830 Westwood Ave.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Brookly Cliff DATE OF BURIAL June 28 1931  
20 UNDERTAKER W. G. Swire ADDRESS Prince Frederick  
Harv P.O.

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sorecoma, etc.,* ..... (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile" etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Trauma," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Calvert.

Village or City Calvert Co Hospital. (No.        St.        Ward       )

2 FULL NAME Walter V Brooks

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 51

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Aug 7, 1910  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 20 yrs. 10 mos. 22 ds. (If LESS than 1 day hrs. or min.)

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Farmer  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) Labourer.

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER Thos. N. Brooks

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Maudie Graham

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) mother

(Address)

15 Filed 6/29 1931 I. N. King Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH June 29, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from June 29, 1931 to June 29, 1931, that I last saw him alive on " 9 P. M.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9 P. M.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Ruptured gastric ulcer.

Contributory (Duration) 1 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.  
Secondary Tentative

(Signed) W. B. King M. D.  
6/30/31 (Address) Prince Frederick

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

16 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 1 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds. In the State Life yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.  
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Lusby, Md.

Former or usual residence " "

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Lower Marlboro DATE OF BURIAL 7/1, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER W. Y. Sewell ADDRESS Dares



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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 06850

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Calvert  
 Village or City West Beach

Registration Dist. No. 59

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. 636 E St SW St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward. \_\_\_\_\_  
Wash. DC (Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX M 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Single

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
 HUSBAND of \_\_\_\_\_  
 (or) WIFE of \_\_\_\_\_

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Nov. 21, 1910

7. AGE Years \_\_\_\_\_ Months 7 Days 0 If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_\_ min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. Mechanic  
 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. ?  
 10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) ? 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation ?

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Wash. DC.  
 (State or country)

13. NAME Wm. Cone

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) DC  
 (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Mary Ridd

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) DC  
 (State or country)

17. INFORMANT Truman Cone  
 (Address) 512 E St SW

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Wash DC  
 Place Suffolk, Va Date June 23, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER W. H. Hutchens  
 (Address) mt. Harmony

20. FILED June 2, 1931 W. H. Hardaway  
 Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

June 21, 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 2:15 P. m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Auto accident  
fractured skull  
to neck

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide Suicide Date of Injury June 21, 1931

Where did injury occur? West Beach  
 (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury Auto wreck  
fracture of skull & neck

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify

(Signed) Hugh W Ward M. D.

(Address) Quincy Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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1 PLACE OF DEATH			06851		STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
County <u>Calvert.</u>			(92-0)		Registration Dist. No. <u>51</u>	
Village or City <u>Port Republic</u> (No. _____)			St. _____		Ward _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)	
2 FULL NAME <u>William Alexander Dorsey.</u>						
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS						
3 SEX <u>male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>white</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED <u>Married</u> (Write the word)				
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>June 2, 1852</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)						
7 AGE <u>79</u> yrs. <u>11</u> mos. <u>11</u> ds. If LESS than 1 day ____ hrs. or ____ min.?						
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>Farmer.</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____						
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Calvert Co. Md.</u>						
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>George Washington Dorsey</u>						
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Calvert Co. Md.</u>						
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Hannah Brooke</u>						
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) <u>Calvert Co. Md.</u>						
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE						
(Informant) <u>Gov. Dorsey</u> (Address) <u>Prince Georges Md.</u>						
15 Filed <u>6/14</u> 19 <u>31</u> <u>R. H. King</u> Registrar						
MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH						
16 DATE OF DEATH <u>June 13, 1931</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)						
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from <u>Aug. 31, 1931</u> to <u>June 13, 1931</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>June 13, 1931</u> , and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>11 AM</u> . The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows: <u>Chronic Valvular Heart Disease</u>						
(Duration) <u>2</u> yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.						
Contributory Secondary <u>Edward D. Dwyer</u> M.D. (Signed) <u>June 13, 1931</u> (Address) <u>Island Creek Md.</u>						
*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.						
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents) At place of death ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. In the State ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____ Former or usual residence _____						
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Christ Church</u>					DATE OF BURIAL <u>6/14</u> , 19 <u>31</u>	
20 UNDERTAKER <u>J. J. Harkness</u>					ADDRESS <u>Wetzel</u>	

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Calvert
 06852 STATE OF MARYLAND  
 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
Registration Dist. No. 51

Village or City

Prince Frederick

St.

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

J. Oliver Hammett

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

male

4 COLOR OR RACE

white5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)single

6 DATE OF BIRTH

December 10, 1861  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

69 yrs. 5 mos. 27 ds.  
If LESS than 1 day—hrs. or—min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Farmer

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER

John Hammett

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Med.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

E. Elizabeth Hammett

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Med.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Julius Dorsey

(Address)

Prince Frederick

15

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6/81931R. N. King

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

June 6, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

that I last saw him

alive on

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at.....m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Organic heart diseaseFound dead in bed.Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed)

6/8R. N. King

M. D.

1931 (Address)

Prince Frederick

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death

yrs.....mos.....ds.

In the

State.....yrs.....mos.....ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Central Church

DATE OF BURIAL

6/9, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

A. A. Harkness

ADDRESS

Mutual

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

06853

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Calvert

Registration Dist. No.

52

Village or City

Chesapeake

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. If of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Baby Boy Harvey

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

M

4. COLOR OR RACE

C

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

S

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

June 27, 1931

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, hrs.

or min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Chesapeake

FATHER

13. NAME

Charles Harvey

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Chesapeake

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Mary Carter

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Wilson Station

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Charles Harvey

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Coopers

Date

July 1, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Wilson Sewell

20. FILED

July 1, 1931 W. H. Harder

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

June 27

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

19

to

19

I last saw him alive on

19

death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows

Still born

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

Hugh W. Ward

M. D.

(Address)

W. H. Harder



# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Pleuritis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Calvert

06854  
(92-a)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 51

Village or City Bowen No. \_\_\_\_\_

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Mrs. Katherine Hitchins

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Aug 27, 1862  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 68 yrs. 9 mos. 3 ds. If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Danvers, Me.

10 NAME OF FATHER Theo. W. Crawford

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Danvers, Me.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Frazer Creed

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Danvers, Me.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) John Luther Hitchins  
(Address) Bowen, Me.

15 Filed 6/24 1931 D. N. Fing Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH June 23, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Nov 11 to June 23, 1931  
that I last saw h ED alive on June 23, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 1:30 p m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Chronic Valvular Heart Disease

(Duration) 1 yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory Secondary Arteriosclerosis  
(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. 4 mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.  
(Signat) W. H. Hitchins M.D.  
(Address) Island Creek, Me.

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Asbury DATE OF BURIAL 6/25, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER W. H. Hitchins ADDRESS Owings

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Cabernet

Village or City P. Frederick (No. \_\_\_\_\_) St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

2 FULL NAME Sill born Jennifer

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 51

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE col 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH June 19, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE \_\_\_\_\_ If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) md

10 NAME OF FATHER Robt Jennifer

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Books

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Robt Jennifer

(Address) 13 Fred.

15 Filed 6/25 1931 J. N. King Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH June 19, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_,

that I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Still born

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) 6/19/1931 (Address) 13 Fred. M. D.

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

at home 6/19, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

Father P. Fred.

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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Trauma," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

06856

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CalvertVillage or City Prinny

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

Registration Dist. No. 52

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Prinny

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

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4. COLOR OR RACE

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5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

55a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Feb. 3, 1901

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.3308. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Child9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Prinny Md

FATHER

13. NAME

Edward Wells14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Md

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Catherine Jones16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Md17. INFORMANT  
(Address)Catherine Jones

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

St. Edmonds

Date

June 3, 193119. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)M. W. Gross

20. FILED

June 2, 1931W. H. Hardesty

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

June 1

(Month)

(Day)

1931  
(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

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to

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I last saw h. 1 alive on

19

death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 1230 P.m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:UnknownUndiagnosed. no further information.due to

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

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Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

Hugh W. Ward M. D.

(Address)

Prinny, Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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<sup>1</sup> PLACE OF DEATH  
County Calvert

Village or City Huntingtown (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME John W. Gons

06857  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 51

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX m 4 COLOR OR RACE w 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH Sept 7, 1843  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 87 yrs. 8 mos. 15 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Garnet  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) "

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) md

10 NAME OF FATHER James W. Gons

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Elizabeth Harder

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Bessie Trotter  
(Address) Huntingtown

15 Filed June 24 1931 J. J. White  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH June 22, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from May 15 1931 to June 22, 1931, that I last saw him alive on June 11, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11 P. m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Chronic Bronchitis

(Duration) 2 yrs. 2 mos. 0 ds.

Contributory Secondary Agony

(Duration) 1 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

(Signed) J. J. White M. D.  
June 24 1931 (Address) Huntingtown

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 0 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds. In the State 0 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Huntingtown DATE OF BURIAL June 24, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER C. S. Hutchins ADDRESS md

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

06858

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CalvertVillage or City Sunderland

No. \_\_\_\_\_

St. \_\_\_\_\_

Ward \_\_\_\_\_

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Mary D. Rawling

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_

St. \_\_\_\_\_

Ward. \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

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4. COLOR OR RACE

C5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (check the words)Married5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofMarried Isaac Rawling

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, end year)

May 28, 1837

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

74?8171 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.HV.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Sunderland  
MD

MOTHER FATHER

13. NAME

Ben Smith

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

MD

15. MAIDEN NAME

Rachel Land

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

MD

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Thomas Rawling  
Quincy Ind

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Mt. Hope

Date

June 30, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Wilson Sewell  
Leas

20. FILED

June 29, 1931W H Hardisty

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

June 28

(Month)

(Day)

1931  
(Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

June 27, 1931, to same, 1931I last saw him alive on June 27, 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 6 P. m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Paraplegia

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Pneumonia, Tumor

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of Injury

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury

Nature of Injury

24. Was disease or Injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

Angus W Ward  
Quincy Ind

M. D.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
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In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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<sup>1</sup> PLACE OF DEATH  
County Calvert

Village or City Owing (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME Eileen Smith

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 51

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (if death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX F 4 COLOR OR RACE Col 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH May 28, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. 20 ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work none  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) 4

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) md

10 NAME OF FATHER John S. Smith

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Idun Gross

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) John S. Smith

(Address) Owing

15 Filed June 17, 1931 J. White  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH June 17, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from no physician attending 192 to 192, that I last saw him alive on June 17, 192.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Ischemic Encephalitis

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.  
(Signed) J. W. Smith M. D.  
June 17, 1931 (Address) Seventy-two

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

St. Edmond Church June 17, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

W. S. Hutchins MD Harming

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

06860

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Cabnet Registration Dist. No. 52  
 Village or City Sunderland No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Baby Ed Smith  
 (a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>7</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>S</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>D</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of _____		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>June 28, 1931</u>		
7. AGE Years _____ Months _____ Days _____	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.	

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation \_\_\_\_\_

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Sunderland  
 (State or country) Eng

13. NAME Edgar Smith

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Sunderland  
 (State or country) Eng

15. MAIDEN NAME Marion Jones

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Eng  
 (State or country) Eng

17. INFORMANT Edgar Smith  
 (Address) Sunderland

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place St. Edwards Date June 28, 1931

19. UNOERTAKER Edgar Smith  
 (Address) Sunderland, Md.

20. FILED June 28, 1931 W. R. Carpenter  
 Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

June 28, 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

\_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_  
 I last saw her \_\_\_\_\_ live on \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Still born

Date of onset \_\_\_\_\_

Other Contributory Causes of importance: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)  
 Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of Injury \_\_\_\_\_

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) Hugh W. Ward M. D.

(Address) Birmingham, Ala.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Calvert

(187)

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 51Village or City Huntington (No. 1)

St. 1 Ward 1 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Isaac S. Watson

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M 4 COLOR OR RACE W 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH Sept. 1, 1850  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 59 yrs. 9 mos. 14 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day hrs.

## OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Farmer  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) "

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) md

10 NAME OF FATHER Samuel Watson

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country) md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Lizzie Cox

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country) md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Estep Watson(Address) Drainage

15 Filed June 16 1931 J. W. White  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH June 15, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from June 1, 1931, to June 15, 1931, that I last saw him alive on June 14, 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11 1/2 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Myocardial infarction  
Prosthetic valve prosthesis  
cont. retained 7 mm.  
(Duration)        yrs.        mos.        ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration)        yrs.        mos.        ds.  
(Signed) J. W. White M. D.  
June 16, 1931. (Address) Huntington

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death        yrs.        mos.        ds. In the State        yrs.        mos.        ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?       

Former or usual residence       

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Huntington       , 19      

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Cost. Hutchins MD Hunover

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

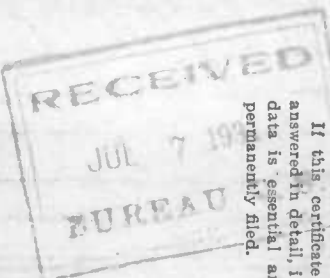
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County Culbert

Village or City Huntingtown (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME Elsie Bonnie Wood

06862 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 51

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

# PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX ♀ 4 COLOR OR RACE W 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Year) 1

7 AGE 43 yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housekeeper  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) md

10 NAME OF FATHER McHenry Boone

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Fanny Rawlings

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Wayne Libson

(Address) Huntingtown

15 Filed June 9 1931 Registrar J. W. Little

# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH June 8, 1931  
(Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Year) \_\_\_\_\_

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from May 7, 1931 to June 8, 1931, that I last saw her alive on June 8, 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 5 P. m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Pulmonary Embolism following Operation for Uterine Myoma  
(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) J. W. Little M. D.  
June 9, 1931 (Address) Huntingtown

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Bonow

DATE OF BURIAL June 10, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER W. H. Hutchins ADDRESS MD Harmoy

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